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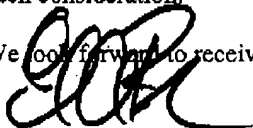
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NOTES/COMMENTS:

Attached herewith is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 for the above-referenced patent application. It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered and that the attached Information Disclosure Citation Form PTO-1449 be initialed by the Examiner to indicate such consideration.

We look forward to receiving the initialed 1449 at your earliest convenience. Thank you.


Edward A. Becker
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of Information Disclosure Citation Form PTO-1449 together with copies of the documents cited on that form, if needed. It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered and that the enclosed Information Disclosure Citation Form PTO-1449 be initialed by the Examiner to indicate such consideration and a copy thereof returned to applicant(s).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed as an admission that the information cited in this statement is material to patentability.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted under one of the following (as indicated by an "X" to the left of the appropriate paragraph):

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_____ 1.97(e)(1) The undersigned hereby states that each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement.

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_____ 37 C.F.R. §1.97(i). Wherein applicants are submitting references before the grant of a patent to be placed in the file but not considered by the Patent office.

- (1) Accordingly, copies of the references as listed on the attached Form PTO 1449 are submitted herewith for placement in the file. No certification or fees are deemed necessary.

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The Examiner is hereby notified that the present application is related to the following related application(s):

DISCLOSURE OF RELATED APPLICATIONS

U.S. Application/ Pat. No.	File Date	Atty. Docket. No.
10/056,728	01/22/02	52637-0021

The related application(s) may contain subject matter that is related to the subject matter of the present application. The related application(s) may contain one or more claims that may be substantially similar to one or more claims in the present application, and those claims may have been rejected in the related application(s). Therefore, the Examiner is encouraged to review the file history(ies) of the related application(s) as some of the information contained therein may be material to the examination of the present application.

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The Examiner is hereby notified that for the following related application(s) an Office Action has been received as indicated below:

DISCLOSURE OF OFFICE ACTIONS

U.S. Application/ Pat. No.	File Date	Office Action Mailing Date	Atty. Docket. No.
10/056,728	January 22, 2002	May 26, 2005	52637-0021

The related application(s) may contain one or more claims that may be substantially similar to one or more claims in the present application, and those claims may have been rejected in the related application(s). Therefore, the Examiner is encouraged to review the file history(ies)

of the related application(s) as some of the information contained therein may be material to the examination of the present application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$180.00 for payment of fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-1302.

Respectfully submitted,

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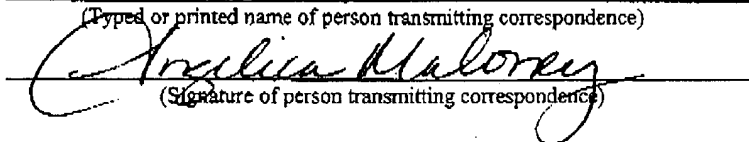
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